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AMERICAN FLAG.

Old Glory Triumphant Floats
Over the Captain General's Palace.

SALUTE OF TWENTY-ONE GUNS FIRED.

The Spanish Troops Stack Their Arms
Between the Lines With Impressive Ceremonies.

Gen. McKibbin Acting Military Governor
of Santiago—The Harbor Cleared of
Mines and Torpedoes—13th
and 9th Infantry to Guard.

IN FRONT OF SANTIAGO, July 18, via
Guantanamo Bay.—Old Glory is now
floating over the fortifications of San-
tiago.

At 9 o'clock Sunday morning the
Spanish troops under command of
Gen. Toral left their trenches and
marched into the American lines,
where one by one the regiments laid
down their arms. At the same time
the Spanish flag was hauled down and
the stars and stripes hoisted in its
place.

The work of hoisting the Spanish
prisoners on transports preparatory to
sending them back to Spain will be
commenced as soon as ships are pro-
vided.

The authorities at Washington have
been urged to use haste in this matter.
It has been suggested to use Spanish
transports for the work, fear being ex-
pressed that the use of American ves-
sels would result in rendering them
dangerous for use in moving American
troops on account of the exposure of
the Spaniards to yellow fever.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Gen. Greely,
chief signal officer, at 11:02 a. m. re-
ceived the first word of the formal sur-
render of Santiago to the American
forces. His services came from the signal
officer at Santiago and said that the
Spanish troops left the trenches and
marched out Sunday morning, lay-
ing down their arms. The Spanish
flag was hauled down.

The war department posted the fol-
lowing bulletin at 5:15 p. m. Sunday:

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 18.—Adj-
utant General United States Army:—
I have the honor to announce that the
American flag has been this instant,
12 o'clock noon, hoisted over the house
of the civil government in the city of
Santiago. An immense concourse of
people present. A squad of cavalry
and a regiment of infantry presenting
arms and band playing national airs.
Light battery fired salute 21 guns.
Perfect order is being maintained by
municipal government. Distress is
very great, but little sickness in town.
Scarcely any yellow fever.

A small gulfboat and about 200 men
left by Cervera have surrendered to me.
Obstructions are being removed
from mouth of harbor. Upon coming
into the city I discovered a perfect
entanglement of defenses. Fighting
as the Spaniards did the first day it
would have cost five thousand lives to
have taken it. Battalions of Spanish
troops have been depositing arms
since daylight in armory, over which I
have guard. Gen. Toral formally sur-
rendered the plaza and all stores at
9 a. m. (Signed)

W. R. SHAFER, Major General.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 18.—Amid
impressive ceremonies the Spanish
troops laid down their arms be-
tween the lines of the Spanish and
American forces at 9 o'clock Sunday
morning.

Gen. Shafter and the American di-
vision and brigade commanders and
their staffs were escorted by a troop of
cavalry and Gen. Toral and his staff by
100 picked men.

Trumpeters on both sides saluted
with flourishes.

Gen. Shafter returned to Gen. Toral
the latter's sword after it had been
handed to the American commander.

Our troops lined up at the trenches,
were eye witnesses of the ceremony.
Gen. Shafter and his escort, accom-
panied by Gen. Toral, rode through
the city, taking formal possession.

The city had been sacked before they
arrived by the Spaniards.

At the palace elaborate ceremonies
took place. Exactly at noon the Amer-
ican flag was raised over the palace
and was saluted by 21 guns by Capt.
Capron's battery. At the same time
all the regimental bands in our line
played "The Star-Spangled Banner,"
after which President McKinley's con-
gratulatory telegram was read to each
regiment.

The 13th and 9th regiments of in-
fantry will remain in the city to enforce
order and exercise municipal author-
ity. The Spanish forces are to en-
camp outside of our lines.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, July 18.—The Amer-
ican flag is floating in triumph over
the governor's palace at Santiago de
Cuba. Gen. McKibbin has been ap-
pointed temporary military governor.

The ceremony of hoisting the stars
and stripes was worth all the blood
and treasure it cost. A vast concourse
of 10,000 people witnessed the stirring
and thrilling scene that will live
forever in the minds of all Amer-
icans present. A finer stage setting
for a dramatic episode it would be
difficult to imagine. The palace, a
picturesque old dwelling in the Moor-
ish style of architecture, faces the
Plaza de la Reina, the principal pub-
lic square. Opposite rises the impos-
ing Catholic cathedral. On one
side is a quaint brilliantly painted
building with broad verandas—the
club of San Carlos, on the other, a
building of much the same description
is the Cafe de la Venus.

Across the plaza was drawn up the
9th infantry, headed by the 6th cav-
alry band. In the street facing the
palace stood a picked troop of the 2d
cavalry, with drawn sabers, under
command of Capt. Brett. Massed on
the stone flagging between the band
and the line of horsemen were the bri-
gade commanders of Gen. Shafter's di-
vision with their staffs.

On the red-tiled roof of the palace
stood Capt. McKittick, Lieut. Milley
and Lieut. Wheeler, immediately
above them, upon the flagstaff, the il-
luminated Spanish arms and the
legend, "Vive Alfonso XIII." All
about, pressing against the veranda
rails, crowding to windows and doors
and lining the roofs, were the people of
the town, principally women and non-
combatants. As the chimes of the old
cathedral rang out the hour of 12 the
infantry and cavalry presented arms.
Every American uncovered, and Capt.
McKittick hoisted the stars and
stripes. As the brilliant folds unfurled
in a gentle breeze against a
featureless sky, the cavalry band broke
into the strains of "The Star-Spangled
Banner," making the American pulse
leap and the American heart thrill with
joy.

At the same instant the sound of the
distant booming of Capt. Capron's bat-
tery, firing a salute of 21 guns, drifted
in. When the music ceased from all
directions around our line came float-
ing across the plaza the strains of the
regimental bands and the muffled,
hoarse cheers of our troops. The in-
fantry came to "order arms" a moment
later, after the flag was up, and the
band played "Rally Round the Flag,
Boys." Instantly Gen. McKibbin
called for three cheers for Gen. Shaf-
ter, which were given with great en-
thusiasm, the band playing Sousa's
"The Stars and Stripes Forever." The
ceremony over, Gen. Shafter and his
staff returned to the American lines,
leaving the city in the possession of
the municipal authorities, subject to
the control of Gen. McKibbin.

Gen. Toral, the white-haired com-
mander of the Spanish forces, is utter-
ly heart-broken. He spoke bitterly of
the fate which compelled him to sue
for peace, but had no word to say
against the gallant men who had
conquered his army. He declared
that he had little chance to win. "I would not desire to
see my worst enemy play with the
cards I held," he said to one of the
commissioners. "Every one of my
generals was killed or wounded. I had
not a single colonel left and was sur-
rounded by a powerful enemy. We
have counted 67 ships off this port.

"And, besides," he concluded, wear-
ily waving his hands towards the city,
"I have secret troubles there."

Speaking of the battle of June 24, in
which the "rough riders" and a part of
Gen. Young's command participated,
Gen. Toral said that less than 2,000
Spanish troops were engaged, his loss
being 265. He would not say how
many Spaniards were killed at El
Coney and before Santiago. "Heavy
heavy," he said, dejectedly.

In response to an inquiry, he said
that transportation would be required
for between 22,000 and 25,000 men,
there being that much of a force in
the capitulated district. He informed
the officers that Santiago harbor had
been again mined since Adm. Cervera
left.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—At 11:05
o'clock Sunday night Adj. Gen. Corbin
made public the following dispatch
from Gen. Shafter:

HEADQUARTERS U. S. ARMY,
SANTIAGO, July 17.

To Adjutant General, U. S. A. Wash-
ington:

My ordnance officers report about
7,000 rifles turned in Sunday and 600-
000 cartridges. At the mouth of the
harbor there are quite a number of
fine modern guns about six inch; also
two batteries of mountain guns, to-
gether with a saluting battery of 13
old bronze guns. Disarming and
turning in will go on Monday. List
of prisoners not yet taken.

SHAFER,
Major General Commanding.

ON THE WAY.

The Porto Rican Expedition, Under Com-
mand of Gen. Miles, Left Siboney,
Cuba, Monday.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Gen. Miles,
leading the Porto Rican expedition,
left Siboney, Cuba, Monday on the
Yale with four batteries of artillery
and a few seasoned troops. Two bri-
gades now at Charleston embarked
Monday on transports to take them to
Porto Rico. All the force at Tampa,
12,000 strong, embracing artillery, will
be put aboard ship as rapidly as trans-
ports can be gotten there and sent to
reinforce our other troops. Gen.
Brooke will take the first and
second divisions of his corps from
Chickamauga to Porto Rico. Gen.
Brooke left here Monday afternoon for
Chickamauga to get his troops started.
It is expected that the whole expedi-
tion will be under way within the
next four days. It has been decided
to retain Gen. Shafter's brigade at
Santiago for an indefinite period.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—It is es-
timated that Gen. Miles should arrive,
by Wednesday night at the point
selected for the landing, and will
hoist the American flag at once over
Porto Rican soil. The point chosen
for his landing is kept secret, as the
General will land before the full body
of the expedition is at hand, and it is
consequently not desirable that the
enemy should be able to assemble a
superior force to meet him.

The purpose of Secretary Alger is to
make the Porto Rican campaign a short
one. An overwhelming force will be
thrown upon the island and it is pos-
sible that a bloodless victory will be
achieved when the Spanish become con-
vinced that they have no reasonable
chance to resist successfully. The ex-
pedition is to comprise 50,000 men at
the start, and it will be swelled soon
to 40,000 men and if necessary to 70,000
men, the equipment of the volunteer
forces having now progressed so well
as to warrant the statement that that
number of men can be ready for ser-
vice in Porto Rico within a very short
time.

The 1st, 2d and 5th Ohio regiments,
are among the troops that will
be sent to Porto Rico. The 2d, 4th and
6th Ohio regiments, the 1st and 3d
Kentucky and the 160th Indiana are
among the troops at Chickamauga
which will also be sent to Porto Rico.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Porto
Rico expedition is being rushed. It
was authoritatively stated Monday
night that already 6,000 regular
troops are upon transports at Tampa,
and if they have not already sailed
they will debark within the next four
days.

CERVERA'S FLEET.

The Infanta Maria Teresa and Cristobal
Colon May Be Saved—The Others
Are Hopelessly Wrecked.

OFF SANTIAGO, July 19.—Capt. Cook,
of the Brooklyn, is authority for the
statement that the former Spanish
flagship, the Infanta Maria Teresa, has
floated off the reef on which she
stranded and that her heavy armament
is practically uninjured. The captain
also says this cruiser will almost surely
be saved and form any addition to the
United States navy, a trophy of the
glorious July Third.

The Cristobal Colon may also be
saved, though a good deal depends on
the weather, which is very uncertain
at this time of the year. A heavy
storm might drive the cruiser so high
on the coral reef that it would be im-
possible to float her.

The crew of the Brooklyn regarded
the Vizcaya as their particular enemy,
since the time when both were present
at Queen Victoria's jubilee display,
when there was much comment abroad
on what a good fight might be expect-
ed between the two ships if they ever
met.

Of the four big ships which were in
Adm. Cervera's fleet only two are surely
doomed to destruction. They are the
Vizcaya and the Almirante Oquendo,
and these as a coincidence were the
two cruisers which went into Havana
harbor after the blowing up of the
Maine and were moored near the
wreck of the United States battle
ship in all the bravery of paint,
gilding and bunting, seeming to
loat over the ruin caused, while the
people of Havana shouted themselves
hoarse, fired myriads of bombs and
bragged unceasingly of what the two
formidable armored cruisers of Spain
would do with the United States navy
should ever a fair fight be possible.

Cuban Exiles Leave for Santiago.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Cuban exiles
this country are already making prepa-
rations to leave for Santiago, Cuba, as
the navy department, although it is
tramp steamer which will sail from
this city this week, and a Cuban who
lives here said Monday that there are
over 5,000 ready to dash into Cuba
the moment that Havana falls.

TO STORM MANILA.

Thousands of Insurgents Surround the
City and Can Enter at Any Time—
Augusti Advised to Surrender.

MANILA, July 13, via Hong Kong,
July 19.—An important interview has
just been held between Gen. Agui-
naldo's secretary, Legarda, and a
prominent native white man, and the
Spanish commander, Capt. Gen. Au-
gusti. The insurgents' representatives
urged Gen. Augusti to surrender the
city, asserting that 50,000 insurgents
surrounded Manila and were able
to enter it at any moment. Thus
far, they added, the insurgents had
been restrained with difficulty; but if
the Spaniards continued stubborn, the
result would be that the insurgents
would be compelled to bombard and
storm the city "with the inevitable
slaughter, unparalleled in history, be-
cause in the excitement of battle they
can not discriminate."

Continuing, the captain general's
visitors advised him to disregard the
official fictions regarding alleged
Spanish victories in Cuba and rein-
forcements coming to the Philippine
islands, and propose a reconciliation
between the Spaniards in the Philip-
pines, under a republican flag, and a
joint endeavor to persuade the Amer-
icans to abandon hostilities in the
Philippine islands. Finally, the repre-
sentatives of the insurgents proposed
an appeal to the powers to recognize
the independence of the Philippine
islands.

The captain general replied that he
must fight, however hopeless the Span-
ish cause.

Legarda then returned to Cavite,
talking with him the native, who is a
paroled prisoner.

The natives inside the city say they
received, a fortnight ago, a concerted
signal to prepare for storming the
walls. A second signal, fixing the
date of the assault, has not yet been
issued, and they are tired of waiting
and are losing faith in Aguineldo.

The latter, it is alleged, finds it ex-
tremely difficult to capture the town
of Manila. His previous successes,
it is said, were easy, because of
the lack of the country, and not of
his skirmishers. It is further al-
leged that the principal points cap-
ered by the insurgents were obtained
in session of through treachery.

The insurgents are now bringing
artillery around by sea from Mala-
bon, which is tedious and trouble-
some work. They are also obtaining
tailored reports of the condition of
affairs from the inside of the city.

Adm. Dewey is establishing a more
strict blockade, lest it be invalidated
by permitting neutrals to visit Cavite
and Malabon, and send and receive
mails inclosing surreptitious Spanish
patches. He has threatened to sta-
tion warships opposite the city, which
might precipitate hostilities, as the
British officers declare they will cer-
tainly fire on any American within
range, regardless of the consequences.
The second installment of American
troops is expected here daily and the
detachments are booked to arrive
early in August. Probably military
operations will be deferred until
September dry season, when it is
clear, and, possibly, then bloodshed
may be unnecessary.

A Spanish steamer, the Filipinas,
just been brought in here in the
hands of the insurgents. It appears
that she was on the northern coast
escaping to China with a native
crew on board, when the latter revolt-
ed, killed the Spanish officers and
brought the vessel to Cavite.

Spaniards are daily employing con-
sults to fell trees and burn huts on the
skirts of the town. Enfilades con-
tinue, but otherwise the position is
unchanged. The stock of flour is prac-
tically exhausted, but the supplies of
rice and buffalo meat will last for
some time longer.

Bread Rots in Spain.

LONDON, July 19.—The Madrid cor-
respondent of the Daily Telegraph,
telegraphing Sunday, says: Riots
have broken out at Huelva, capital of
the Province of Huelva, in Andalusia.
The inhabitants marched to the mun-
icipal buildings, shouting for cheap
bread. Rioters to the number of 4-
000, sacked many private houses. They
are finally dispersed by the military.
Energetic measures will be taken
to prevent a renewal of the distur-
bances. Senor Emilio Castelar, the
republican leader, who is now in South
Spain, where he has gone to spend
the summer, is about to return to
Madrid. Gen. Polveja is also re-
turning from a French watering place.

Sampson's Report on the Way.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Adm. Samp-
son's report on the destruction of Cer-
vera's squadron has not yet reached
the navy department, although it is
tramp steamer which will sail from
this city this week, and a Cuban who
lives here said Monday that there are
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Titie Pathfinder is the name of W. B. Hudson's new paper just started at Barbourville. It is a bright and crisp sheet and under Mr. Hudson's guiding hand, we predict a successful journal.

The Gentry reunion which begins at Crab Orchard Springs, Aug. 1st, will be the largest family reunion that has ever occurred in America.

The following from Interior Journal fits our case exactly:

"While very much preferring Gov. McCreary because we thought him the best equipped and strongest man, we shall give the Hon. G. G. Gilbert, of Shelby, the nomination of the Danville convention for congress in this district, our unqualified and cordial support. He is a good man, a capable man and a sound democrat, and no one who loves his party and desires its success, will do otherwise than work for and vote for the excellent gentleman from Shelby."

EUROPEAN nations are having their eyes opened on the subject of American patriotism. The blue and the gray march shoulder to shoulder and the rich and the poor meet on a common level. Among Roosevelt's "rough riders" may be found the sons of federal and confederate soldiers, and sons of millionaires of the east ride side by side with the cowboy of the western plains. The solution of the mystery is that we are a nation of patriots, and that love of country is common to all sections and classes.

R. S. Martin, Brodhead's tobacco manufacturer, has expended, during the existence of his factory more than \$150,000 for leaf tobacco and the labor in working it up. Most of this money went to other countries from the fact our people have not taken enough interest in tobacco raising to furnish this factory with but a small quantity of the weed. This money could in future easily be kept in the county if her citizens would turn their attention to their own interests in this line. It has been fully demonstrated, time and again, that our soil is adapted to the culture of fine and medium grades of tobacco. Too many are engaged in getting out fence posts, cross ties and the like. It has been suggested that inasmuch as there are thousands of acres in the Southern part of this county that can be bought at \$2 per acre that some of our enterprising citizens purchase a thousand or so acres and colonize it with families from North Carolina, who are practical tobacco raisers or from North and Central Kentucky where great crops are raised but the renter has to give the larger portion for rent of ground. By so doing it would be but a few years before our county would be in a much improved condition. Mr. Martin who is an enterprising man and who has done as much or more than any citizen for the prosperity of this locality, would gladly purchase most if not all the tobacco that is raised in the county besides lending aid and assistance in getting such a move on foot. Jealousies should be thrown aside and every encouragement lent to any legitimate enterprise which tends to the betterment of our people's interests.

Let the question be agitated and a plan be formulated and carried out.

BRODHEAD.

Dr. Farris was in town Monday.

Dr. Atchison has returned from Alabama.

Thomas Francisco is chilling some these warm days.

Black berries in good demand here at .05cts. per gallon.

J. W. Tate and wife went to Crab Orchard Wednesday.

Rev. Livingston will preach here next Saturday night and Sunday.

Manuel Ross, of Lebanon Junction, is visiting friends in the country.

W. T. Watson and Jerome Layton are receiving hogs here at 3cts. per pound.

Messrs. Conard Hiatt and Henry Parkerson were here Wednesday morning buying cattle.

Mr. Geo. W. Berry, wife and little daughter, of Lexington, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cherry.

Quite a number of people from Level Green, Walnut Grove and other places were here Wednesday shopping.

All necessary preparations are being pushed to meet the demands of the thousands who will attend the Fair here Aug. 17, 18, 19th.

Died, July 18, '98, Harvey Green Howard, of Corbin, Ky., son of Harvey Green Howard, of this town. Mr. Howard had been foreman in the L. & N. shop at Corbin for quite a while where he had greatly endeared himself to the R. R. officials. The people of Corbin manifested their great love and esteem for their deceased fellow citizen in a way that was highly complimentary and showed the great loving hearts of a Christian people.

Messrs. Sinkhorn, T. H. Redfield, C. E. Redfield, Paulser Debusk, A. B. Chestnut, John Isaac, Clarence Sinkhorn, Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. Tremble and Mrs. Chestnut accompanied the remains and bereft to this place and took an active part in the funeral leaving not the slightest act of kindness or respect undone. The bereft have the sympathy and love of all.

LIVINGSTON

Tom Pettit spent Sunday in Wildie.

John Graves was over from Paris Sunday.

W. O. Burns was in Stauffer Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Moore is visiting relatives in Ohio.

Mrs. E. S. Elmore has returned from a visit to relatives in Rowland.

Miss Lucy Baugh has returned home after a visit to Miss Lida Cook.

Mrs. R. C. Brown has returned from a visit to relatives in Crab Orchard.

Miss Mary Doty, of Richmond, is visiting her brother, R. A. Sparks.

Mrs. M. J. Gooden and Miss Lizzie Browning were in Pine Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Maddox, of Withers, was the guest of Mrs. Dr. Cooper this week.

Mrs. Bowman Smith, of McKinney, is visiting her brother S. D. McKinney.

Prof. Chandler has returned to Brodhead where he began teaching last Monday.

Miss Annie Ashlock, of Stanford, is visiting her sister, Miss Mary, at Pope Hotel.

W. S. Cummins has moved his stock of goods into his new store on Main Street which is just completed.

John Walton has moved back to town and taken charge of the hotel again where his friends will find him. Mr. Griffin moving back to his house on main street.

ADAMS GROVE

Aug. 6th.

Big Picnic.

Two Miles East of Brodhead.

Mrs. E. Fishback has returned from a visit to her father, B. P. King, of Moreland.

Mat Ballard was down from Goochland last week and reports we are glad to say, his father, T. J. Ballard much better.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pettus attended the burial at Crab Orchard Monday of little Edith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Campbell.

Dr. C. W. Smock, member of the State Board of Health was here Monday on his way to the infected small pox districts of Jackson county. He reports 42 cases of genuine small pox in Rose Town on Horse Lick.

Mr. and Mrs. Browning returned last week in honor of Mrs. Browning's sister, Miss Lizzie. At the proper time refreshments were served and it was with much reluctance that the guests took their departure. It is useless to say that an enjoyable time was had.

John, the little son of T. B. Lair, seems to be very unlucky for a little fellow. Just after being able to get around after having his leg broken had the misfortune to have a large wall clock fall on him and mashed his face awfully. Broke his nose and otherwise bruised him up, but we are glad to say is doing nicely.

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John C. Atcheson, was here Saturday from Danville looking up students for Centre College.

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Ashland Lodge No. 640 meets 2nd Monday 10 A. m.

LOCAL OTHERWISE.

Pay your dues to Signal.

A. C. Stapp was in from Louisville.

N. M. Shumate called on us a few days since.

S. A. Coyie escaped from the rock pile here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thompson are here from Garrard.

Billy Simpson gives us an interesting letter from Camp Corbin.

A. E. Albright is out on the line advertising Brodhead Fair.

Miss Fannie McFerron will teach the Oak Hill school.

H. J. McClure, of Paris, is visiting home folks.

Miss Berda Martin began her school at Gum Sulphur Monday.

Miss Mand Miller, of Lancaster, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Helen Smith, of Frankfort, is visiting Miss Bessie Miller.

Dannie Owens was up from Brodhead Monday.

Miss Randie McKenzie has been on a visit to Preacherville relatives.

Mrs. Sue Mullins was up from Livingston Tuesday.

A. C. Stapp was here this week from Louisville visiting his family.

Grove Kennedy telegraph operators with Signal corps at Chickamauga.

J. Damron has sold several pianos and organs of the best make in past few weeks.

Mrs. Burt Nelson of Pulaski; has been visiting the family of James Landrum.

Greenham was down from London today to see his brother Sam.

Mrs. F. M. Cummins, of the Wabash neighborhood, died Friday last.

William Isinger has been appointed constable in place of Walter Sargent, signed.

Mr Houk, trustee of jury fund says money is now ready for jurors of the May ten.

The Rockcastle boys of Colson's regiment have been assigned to company G.

Able Pennington and John Gentry came home Sunday on furlough from Camp Corbin.

"It takes five minutes till half 'atter four," was the way a man here answered an inquiry about the time of day.

Misses Georgia and Zula Jones, two pretty girls, of Lebanon, are visiting their sister Mrs. L. W. Bethurum.

The label on your paper gives the date to which you have paid. Look at it now.

The Maccabees Tent here is in a flourishing condition. They meet every Friday night and are getting new members right along.

"Monk" Taylor has a young chicken, named Dewey, that watches and chases every fowl and cat from the garden and house.

The railroad company has named Scotts line kiln two miles south of this place, White Rock, and quarry at Tunnell No. 3, Sparks' Quarry.

Mrs. Nannie Hooker and sisters Misses Clara and Lina Kennedy of Russellville and Misses May and Lucy Saunders of Crab Orchard are visiting Mrs. M. C. Williams.

Our excellent foreman, S. C. Franklin, with his family, is visiting father and mother at Athens. W. T. Davis is working in his place on SIGNAL.

Steve B. Ramsey, of this county is using a coffee mill that is more than a hundred years old. It was used by his great-grandfather in Virginia and was brought to Kentucky eighty years ago.

Bol. Hatt, a darkey, who spent three years in Michigan City pen on charge of attempted mail robbery in Laurel, is sojourning at this place. He is better known as "Snowball."

There should be a large crowd at Brodhead Fair first day, there will be four good races. A baby show, worst Turn Out and all farmers and ladies department will be shown and no charge for entering them whatever.

The State Board of Health again calls the attention of our citizens to the importance of vaccination as a preventive against small pox and strongly advise every body to be vaccinated. That dread disease is virtually at our door, being in Laurel, Jackson and Clay.

The best way for a young man to begin who is without friends or influence is first, by getting in a position; second, keeping his mouth shut; third, observing; fourth, being faithful; fifth, making his employer think he would be lost in a fog without him, and sixth, being polite.—Russell Sage.

Hon. G. G. Gilbert, Democratic candidate for congress, will address our people at Adams Grove Picnic, two miles East of Brodhead on Saturday Aug. 6th. Hon J. W. Yerkes and other noted speakers have been invited and are expected to be present and deliver speeches. An immense crowd is expected.

The Mt. Vernon Brass Band is keeping up its practice under their excellent teacher and leader, W. F. McClary who is a talented musician of unusual merit. They have added many new pieces and are prepared to furnish the best of music for Fairs, Picnics and other public gatherings.

Are you paying for what you are reading.

There is small pox in Jackson Clay and Laurel. The origin has been traced to Richmond, from whose pest house a subject escaped and went to Jackson, some months since, and the disease which is of a light form has spread from there into Clay and Laurel. The State Board of Health are in charge and will use every effort to eradicate the plague.

Messrs W. R. Scott and J. F. Murphy were up from Danville Saturday looking over their lime works at White Rock. They are expecting to fire their kiln inside of three weeks. The plant is being put in of first-class material and workmanship. Considerable money has already been expended and our people are reaping benefits from the works. It is the intention of the company to make it a Rockcastle institution, as far as possible, by employing local labor, coal, and other supplies. The firm is composed of first-class men of good business qualifications and there is not a doubt of the success of the undertaking.

These dues mean you, if you owe on subscription.

A gay picnic party went from here to Langford Saturday and were joined by parties from Conway, Buckeye, Wildie and Langford. Among those from this place were, Mrs. Cleo Brown, Misses Lena Newcomb, Fannie McFerron, Sue, Annie and A'za Thompson, Lillie Grant, Bobbie Davis, Ida M. Adams, Alza L. Brown, Mattie Williams, Florelle Brown, Lola Hansel, Mrs. Albright, Mrs. L. B. Adams, Edgar Albright, W. J. Newcomb, Chas. Davis, I. M. Boswell, Judge Williams, Willie Henderson, Sam Denham, Chas. Henderson and W. F. McClary.

If you want to get mad about it and pay up your dues, very well and good. Its better that way than to keep in good humor and never pay.

CAMP CORBIN—Lexington, Ky. July 14th, 1898.

Dear SIGNAL: Co. G. sends greetings. Every one in good health and high spirits. Under the branches of a pine tree stands a tent which is known as Piney Branch. In this tent resides twelve gentlemen from Rockcastle; the aforesaid tent is the most orderly tent in the camp, but when the shades of night approach and all honest people are in the bed sleeping soundly, you can hear any sound from the chirping of a cricket to the bellowing of a bull. All honor for such a variety of mimicry be to the twelve gentlemen that reside therein. All the camp expresses their heartfelt sympathy for the gallant lad David Herrin who wished to meet the Spaniards and bare his bosom to the hail of their merciless bullets, and they lament with tears that the heartless doctors should have rejected him. The other day a man tried to override chief cook Tommy Thompson's table laws, but Tommy was at his post and enforced it with a butcher-knife; after a hot argument and cries of "hold him!" "ketch him!" The smoke all cleared up and we found that no one was hurt. An arrogant newspaper man was recommended to Col. Colson as first Sargent for our company; and sworn in as such, but the Rockcastle boys thought different and promoted him to the rank of private in company G. I am now in headquarters of our company with Lieut. Lewis, he has a nice little cot on which to spend his time that he is not spending at the table. We have for our guest today James Croucher, an old resident of Rockcastle county. The boys are always glad to have him with them. Abel Pennington is with us and well satisfied for he is Corporal of the commissary department for company G. Our examination took place last Saturday and there were few rejected. The doctor said we were the finest lot of men they had examined. We were mustered in Wednesday evening and took the oath of allegiance to our country and its flag. We will receive our uniforms on the 16th then we will become soldiers in fact. The most exciting incident that has occurred in our company, or in the regiment was over private Isaacs who refused to minister in the evening we started to muster. Lieut. Lewis prevailed on him to fall in but he flatly refused; he was taken before Col. Colson but still refused he was then sent to the guard house, kept there for two hours he was then placed in front of two sentinels; the drum and fife were called for, all the companies formed in line. They played the "Rogue's March," and the poor fellow was marched down the line to be hissed at and called coward! deserter! and a great many other nice names which he will remember as long as he lives. We expect to leave here for Chickamauga or San Francisco as soon as the last company is mustered in which will be in a few days. All are anxious to get to the front and return with Spanish scalps dangling from their belts.

John Gentry got a furlough and left here a foot to-day. He will reach Mt. Vernon about sun-down Sunday.

Big John Parker thinks we are to go to Central America. Dave Barnes is counted among the missing.

Lieut. Lewis will come home Sunday if the tailors get his uniform finished.

Tom McClure is getting fat.

Albert Albright is a member of the regimental band. He is now at home for a few days.

We have an excellent drill master. We drill two hours in forenoon and two after.

Tell Logan Thompson to come over and bring a dollar along to get tobacco for the boys.

John Rickels is happy.

The SIGNAL is a very welcome visitor to company G.

Tommy Thompson is the clown of the company, and chief cook and bottle-washer.

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Wm. Browning, though the smallest man in the company, keeps up with the biggest of them.

A half dozen Spanish scalps have been ordered sent to Mt. Vernon to adorn the belts of the Rockcastle deserters.

The three Whitaker boys, Burdine, Jim and Dick, are with us and will make good soldiers.

Our company is composed mostly of Owsley and Rockcastle men, but have men from nearly every eastern county and two from Germany.

Emil Suter, stone mason, from Mt. Vernon, is a German veteran of ten years service in the old country.

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Our friends should address letters, Care Capt. Treadway, Co. G. Camp Corbin, Lexington, Ky. BILLY SIMPSON.

J. C. Roberts was here from Stanford Yesterday.

August 18th, is the day set for the execution of the negro George Stephenson who killed young Tilley at Crab Orchard on July 4th.

Picnic.—Owing to its having rained on July 4th, I will have another picnic at my beautiful grove 2 miles east of Brodhead, for the accommodation of all, especially those who missed the enjoyment of the day on account of the rain. Everything will be done to make the day enjoyable. Come everybody. W. G. ADAMS.

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